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PREAMBLE.

Assembled upon the 4th of July, 1892, anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, the People's Party of America, in their 3rd National Convocation, having cast upon their action the blessing of Almighty God, units forth in the name and on behalf of the people of this country the following preamble and declaration of principles:

The conditions which surround us best justify our co-operation we meet in the name of a nation brought to the verge of moral, political and material ruin. Corruption dominates the ballot box, the legislatures, the congress, and has even reached the arsenals of the national service; as rapidly and as far as the good sense of an intelligent people and the teachers of experience shall justify, to the end that oppression, injustice and poverty shall eventually cease in the land.

While our sympathies are a party of reform are naturally upon the side of every proposition that will tend to make our intelligent, virtuous and temperate, we nevertheless regard these questions important as they are as secondary to the great issues now pressing for solution, and upon which not only our individual prosperity, but the very existence of free institutions depend; and we ask all men to first help us to determine whether we are to have a republican administration, before we differ as to the conditions upon which it is to be administered; believing that the forces of reform this day organized will ever cease to move forward until every wrong is remedied, equal rights and equal privileges securely established for all men and women of the country.

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which must within a few weeks be exchanged for billions of dollars of commodities consumed in their production; the existing emergency supply is wholly inadequate to take this exchange; the results are falling prices, the formation of combines and rings and the imprisonment of the producing class. We pledge ourselves that if given power, we will labor to correct these evils by wise and reasonable legislation, in accordance with the tenor of our platform. We believe that the powers of government—the other words of the people—should be expanded as in the case of the postal service, as rapidly and as far as the good sense of an intelligent people and the teachers of experience shall justify; to the end that oppression, injustice and poverty shall eventually cease in the land.

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We declare therefore, First—that the union of the labor forces of the United States this day consummated shall be permanent and perpetual, may its spirit enter into all hearts for the salvation of the republic and the uplifting of mankind.

Second—Wealth belongs to him who creates it, and every dollar taken from industry without an equivalent is robbery. All man will not work, neither shall he eat.

Resolved, That we commend to the favorable consideration of the people, and the reform press the legislative system known as the initiative and referendum.

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Seventh—Resolved, That we demand the payment of all debts due, and that the public credit be maintained by the use of such additional government employees.

Resolved, That we favor a constitutional provision limiting the office of president and vice-president to one term, and providing for the election of senators of the United States by a direct vote of the people.

Resolved, That we oppose any subsidy or national aid to any private corporation for any purpose.

The People's party at the outset set to secure permanent control of the party organization of the people unaffected by the interests of those in public service dues hereby in national convention assembled at Omaha on this 4th day of July, 1892, establish this ordinance as fundamental personal service shall be placed under a civil service regulation of the most rigid character, so as to prevent the increase of the power of the national administration of the postal service by the use of such additional government employees.

First—We demand a national currency, safe, sound and flexible issued by the general government only, a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that without the use of banking corporations a just, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people at a tax not to exceed 2 percent, to be provided, as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance, or some better system; also, be payments in discharge of its obligations of the United States.

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We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand all National and State revenue shall be limited to the necessary expenses of the Government economically and honestly administered.

We demand that postal savings banks be established by the Government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

Second—The land, including all the natural resources of the birthday of the nation and filled with the spirit of the grand generation who established our independence, we seek our independence, we seek to restore the government of the republic to the hands of "the plain people" with which class it originated.

We assert our purposes to be identical with the purposes of the national constitution, "To form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the welfare of the people, and to secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity."

We declare that this republic can only endure as a free government only built upon the love of the whole people for each other and for the nation that it cannot be pinned together by bayonets; that the civil war is over, and that every passion and resentment which grew out of it must die with it, and that we must be in fact, as we are in name, one united brotherhood of free men.

Our country finds itself confronted by conditions for which there is no precedent in the history of the world; our annual agricultural productions amount to \$1,000,000,000. In value

After submitting the foregoing committee on resolutions held another meeting and unanimously agreed to report the following to the convention at the next session and it was adopted:

Whence, other questions have been presented for our consideration, we hereby submit the following, not as a part of the plat-

ALLIANCE DEPARTMENT.

ALLIANCE NOTES, PROSPECTIVE AND THE DOINGS OF THE VARIOUS LODGES.

The Caucasian was adopted as official organ of Sampson County N. C., at the 1st Annual Meeting, May 10, 1892.

SMITHSON COUNTY.

ALLIANCE MEETING.

The Union Alliance of Taylorsville will meet as Red Hill Saturday before the first Sunday in October, all candidates of the People's party are respectfully invited. Hon. Marion Butler has a special invitation.

R. MATTHEWS, Sec'y.

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